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Title: PICTURE COMPRESSION
MANAGING APPARATUS AND
PICTURE COMPRESSION
MANAGING METHOD USED
THEREFOR

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27

Enclosed are:

- Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (26 pages).
- Informal drawings (11 sheets, Figures 1-11).
- Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- Assignment of the invention to NEC CORPORATION.
- Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.

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